on the recommendations contained in Ramanujam Committee Report while taking into consideration various other suggestions including those emanated during the aforesaid Seminar have been formulated and are being processed.

Pending Industrial Disputes of Industrial Finance Corporation

1513. SHRI AJIT P. K. JOGI :

SHRI CHHOTUBHAI PATEL :

Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of industrial disputes between All India Industrial Finance Corporation Employees Association and Management of Industrial Finance Corporation pending before Central Labour Commissioner in the country during the last three years; and

(b) the number of disputes settled, so far, during the above period ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI P.A. SANGMA) : (a) No industrial dispute between the All India Industrial Finance Corporation Employees' Association and the management of Industrial Finance Corporation of India raised during the years 1990, 1991 and 1992 is pending before the office of the Chief Labour Commissioner (Central).

(b) 25 disputes were settled through mediation by the Conciliation Officers during the last three years.

Benefit and Rehabilitation Fund for Working Children

1514. DR. NARREDDY THULASI REDDY : Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration for the establishment of Benefit and Rehabilitation Fund for the benefit of working children ;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI P.A. SANGMA) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) It is not considered necessary as there are number of Schemes for the benefit of working children like; National Child Labour Policy, Grants-in-aid Scheme, International Programme on Elimination of Child Labour (IPEC), Child Labour Action and Support Programme (CLASP) etc.

Functioning of ESI Scheme

1515. SHRI SHANTI TYAGI : Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state :

(a) what is the total number of employees registered with the Employees State Insurance Scheme in the country;

(b) the number of persons registered in Delhi;

(c) the number of ESI dispensaries, mobile dispensaries, hospitals, etc. presently attending to the registered persons ;

(d) whether the condition of these dispensaries are appallingly bad and whether registrants have made complaints about poor medical care in them; and

(e) if so, whether Government would consider to set up a Committee to go into the whole system of ESI ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI P.A. SANGMA) : (a) 62.66 Lakh (As on 31-3-93).

(b) 3.40 Lakh (As on 31-3-93).

(c) The number of the ESI Hospitals, dispensaries etc. as on 31-3-1993 was as under :—